

STATE OF IDAHO OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE BEN YSURSA

PRESS ADVISORY 2006 Voters' Pamphlet

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Secretary of State Ben Ysursa announced today that the 2006 Voters' Pamphlet is being distributed this week to every household in the State of Idaho. The Voters' Pamphlet contains information concerning the ballot proposals that will appear on the November 7 ballot.

The pamphlet contains the ballot titles, the pro and con arguments and rebuttals, and the complete text of the following:

Proposition One: "An Initiative Increasing K-12 Education Funding for Local Public Schools by Adding One Percent to State Sales Tax."

Proposition Two: "An Initiative Limiting Eminent Domain When Used for Economic Development; Defining Land Use Law; and Permitting Just Compensation for Regulatory Takings."

Also included is information on the two Constitutional Amendments and Advisory Vote that will appear on the ballot. More extensive information concerning the two constitutional amendments, H.J.R. 2 dealing with the definition of marriage, and S.J.R. 107 dealing with the Idaho Millennium Permanent Endowment Fund, will be published three times in every legal newspaper in the State beginning this week.

Secretary Ysursa stressed that although his office is required to publish the Voters' Pamphlet, the arguments for and against the proposition and advisory vote are the opinions of the respective authors and do not constitute an endorsement by the State of Idaho.

Secretary Ysursa urged all Idahoans to carefully study the Voters' Pamphlet and make an informed choice on November 7. He also encouraged voters to visit the Secretary of State Internet site at www.idahovotes.gov for additional election information, including the online version of the Voters' Pamphlet.